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To be disposed of at private sale, for fair prices,
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Square 576.—Lot 9, corner of Maryland avenue
and First street west.

Square 582.—All the lots therein, the same being
bounded by First and Second streets west, and D
and E streets south.

Square 635.—Lots 7, 8, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18,
20, 21, fronting part on Delaware avenue and part
on B street south.

Square 636.—Lots 3, 6, 10, 16, 17, 18, fronting
one on C street south, two on Delaware avenue,
and three on South Capitol street.

Square 638.—Lots 4, 5, 7, the latter fronting on
D street south, Canal street, and Delaware avenue,
and the other two fronting both on Delaware avenue
and First street west.

Square 639.—Lots 2, 3, fronting on D street
south and in part on Canal street and South Cap-
itol street.

Square E of 643.—Lot 1, fronting on H street
south, Half street west, and Canal street.

Square 647.—All the lots therein, bounded by
K and L streets south, Canal street, and First street
west.

Square E of 667.—Lot 3, fronting nearly 50 feet
on Water street.

Square 679.—Lot 1, fronting on Massachusetts
avenue, Delaware avenue, and F street north.

Square 680.—Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 10, fronting on
Massachusetts avenue, Delaware avenue, and E
street north.

Square 681.—Lots 3, 12, one fronting on D
street north and the other on E street north.

Square 683.—Lots 8, 10, 11, one fronting on D
street north, and the other two on Delaware avenue.

Square 684.—Lots 4, 7, 8, one fronting on De-
laware avenue and the other two on First street east.

Square 685.—Lots 4, 9, the latter being at the
corner of North Capitol street and C street north,
and the other fronting on North Capitol street.

Square 687.—Lots 5, 13, 14, 18, one fronting on
A street north and the other three on B street north.

Square 689.—Lots 3, 4, 5, 6, fronting part on
South Capitol street and part on C street south.

Square 691.—Lot 9, corner of C street south and
South Capitol street.

Square 693.—Lot 5, fronting on Canal street.

Square 694.—Lot 6, fronting 61 feet on New
Jersey avenue.

Square 700.—Lots 9 to 32, inclusive, fronting
part on South Capitol street, part on M street south,
and part on Half street east.

Square 720.—Lot 1, corner of F street north and
Second street east; lots 2, 3, 4, fronting on F street
north; lots 10, 11, 12, fronting on Delaware avenue;
lot 13, fronting on G street north; and lots
20, 21, and 22, fronting on Second street east.

Square 721.—Lots 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 16, 17, 18, 19,
20, fronting part on E street north, part on Mas-
sachusetts avenue, part on First street east, part on F
street north, and part on Second street east.

Square 722.—Lot 1, fronting on Massachusetts
avenue, Second street east, and E street north.

Square 723.—Lots 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, fronting part
on D street north, part on First street east, and part
on Massachusetts avenue.

Square 725.—Lots 8, 9, fronting on B street north.

Square 732.—Lots 18, 19, fronting on B street
south.

Square 753.—Lots 1, 2, 3, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21,
22, 23, 24, being half the square, and fronting on
Third street east, and F and G streets north.

Square 756.—Lots 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, fronting part
on C street north, part on D street north, and part
on Second street east.

Square 759.—Lots 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16,
17, 18, fronting part on Second street east, part on
A street north, and part on Third street east.

Square 780.—Lots 4, 5, 6, fronting on D street
north, and in part on Third street east.

Square 783.—All the lots therein, and which are
bounded by Third and Fourth streets east, Mas-
sachusetts avenue, and C street north.

Square 826.—Lot 7, fronting on Fourth street
east.

Square 853.—All the lots therein, being bounded
by Canal street, M street south, Fifth street east, and
Georgia avenue.

For terms, &c., apply to
may 27-1aw5t W. GUNTON, Trustee.

PARIS MILLINERY, Just opened at Mrs
S. Parker's Fancy Store, April 1.

BUSINESS CARDS.

BENJAMIN HOMANS,
Auctioneer and Commission Merchant,
Between 10th and 11th Streets, fronting Penn-
sylvania Avenue.

Sales of Real Estate, Furniture, and Personal
Property, attended to at any place within the city.
March 9-11

DENNIS PUMPHREY'S Livery Stable, cor-
ner of 6th and C streets. Horses and Car-
riages to hire. Horses taken at livery, and kept
in the best manner.

A. GLADMON,
House Carpenter and Joiner.

Shop corner of 9th and M streets, Washington.
Where, at all times, Sash, Blinds, Doors, &c., can
be had. All manner of work in his line will be ex-
ecuted at the shortest notice.

HOMCEPATHY.—Dr. Jonas Green, (late of
Philadelphia), tenders his professional ser-
vices to the citizens of Washington and its vicinity,
as a practitioner of the Homoeopathic system of medi-
cine. His residence is on C street, near 3d.
dec 23-1f

RISCOE & CLARKE, Dealers in Cloths, Cas-
simeres, Vestings, &c., Pennsylvania avenue,
a few doors west of Brown's Hotel.

ISAAC STODDARD.—Blacksmithing in gen-
eral, on Four and a half, between E and F sts.
Work done cheap.

WILLIAM P. SHEDD,
Old Centre Market, opposite J. Walker's.

KEEPS constantly for sale all kinds of fresh
meats; meat well dressed, and at moderate
prices. March 11-1f

PRESLEY SIMPSON, Pennsylvania Avenue,
North side, 2d door east of 11th street, keeps
a general assortment of Family Groceries.

ANDREW J. JOYCE, Horse Shoeing and
Smithing Establishment, successor to John
Caley, corner of 14th and E streets, near Fuller's
Hotel. Thankful for the patronage he has received
from a liberal public, he solicits a continuance
of the same.

W. H. GUNNELL.—Dealer in Lumber,
Lime, Wood, &c. Corner of Canal and
6th streets, near Pennsylvania Avenue.

DR. HAMILTON P. HOWARD, tenders his
professional services to the citizens of Wash-
ington, D. C. He may be found at Dr. F. How-
ard's, N. E. corner of F and 11th sts. Dec. 2-

RICHARD VANSANT,

Merchant Tailor and Gentlemen's furnishing store,
Pennsylvania avenue, between 14th and 15th
streets, and adjoining Fuller's Hotel.
March 12-1f

WM. NOELL, Venetian Blind maker, south
side Pennsylvania avenue, between 9th and
10th streets. Blinds of all sizes and colors, fur-
nished to order. Old blinds retimed and painted.

JONATHAN T. WALKER.—House car-
penter and joiner on K street, shop corner K
and 8th streets.

FRANCIS Y. NAYLOR,
Copper, Tin, Sheet-Iron and Stove Manufacturer.
Roofing, Guttering, Spouting, &c. South side
Pennsylvania avenue, near Third street, Wash-
ington, City, D. C.

C. H. VAN PATTEN, M. D., Dentist,
PERFORMS all operations upon the Teeth,
Gums and Mouth, with the greatest care and
skill. Office near Brown's Hotel, and next door to
Todd's Hat Store. Feb 25-1y

CHEAP FOR CASH!!

L. S. BECK & SON,

House-Furnishing Store, Pennsylvania
Avenue, South side, between 9th and 10th
streets, Washington.

We have on hand new and second-hand goods:
such as Bedsteads, Beds, and Bedding; Tables,
Chairs, Bureaus and Sideboards; China, Glass,
and Crockeryware, Cutlery, Hollow-ware of every
variety, Shovels and Tongs, Carpets, Brooms,
Brushes, Willow and Woodenware; with a va-
riety of articles too numerous to mention. Apr 16

I. S. BALL,

Dealer in Tobacco, Snuff & Cigars, Pennsylvania
Avenue, between Fuller's & Gallabrun's Hotel.
April 22.

I. S. BALL also repairs Watches and Jewelry.
April 22-1f

EARTHENWARE, CHINA AND GLASS,

T. FURSELL, Importer and Dealer in E. Ware,
China and Glass, wholesale and retail, at
his store, opposite Brown's Hotel, Pennsylvania
avenue, Washington city, D. C.

CUPPING, LEECHING AND BLEEDING

A large supply of best Swedish Leeches,
already on hand, to be applied or for sale, by
SAML. DEVAUGHN, 9th street.

Who also has ICE for sale whenever called for,
as above. April 2-1f

W. WHITNEY.—Boot and Shoe Dealer,
opposite Brown's Hotel, Pennsylvania
Avenue, has received his full stock of Boots and
Shoes suitable for plantation use, he invites the at-
tention of those who wish such articles, and prom-
ises them good bargains.

GEORGE COLLARD,

DEALER IN LUMBER, WOOD, COAL, LIME
SAND, AND CEMENT,
Corner of 6th st. and Missouri Avenue.
Nov 4 - 2-

D. CLAGETT & CO.,

DEALERS IN FANCY AND STAPLE DRY
GOODS, CARPETINGS, OIL CLOTHS,
CURTAIN STUFFS, &c.

Corner of 9th street & Penn. avenue,
WASHINGTON, D. C.

FURNITURE.—New and second hand, daily re-
ceived. For sale, on reasonable terms, by
B. HOMANS,
April 13. Between 10th and 11th streets.

J. E. W. THOMPSON,

CABINET MAKER & UNDERTAKER,
F between 13th and 14th sts., north side.
* * * Hearse kept, and funerals attended o.
Nov. 4-y

Hardware! Hardware!! Hardware!!!

E. WHEELER, Penn. Avenue, near 7th street.
HAS just opened an entire new and well select-
ed assortment of Hardware, Cutlery and
Fancy Goods, which he offers for sale at whole-
sale or retail, on as accommodating terms as they
can be had in the district.

His stock consists in part of the following arti-
cles: Roger's & Son's and others' Table Cutlery
in complete sets, Ivory, Buffalo, Buck, Bone, and
Cocoa Dining, and Desert Knives and Forks, Ger-
man Silver, and Britannia Tea and Table Spoons,
Penknives, Razors, Scissors, Nut Picks, and
Crackers, Cooks', Butchers', Shoe and Carving
Knives, Snuffers and Trays, Plated, Steel and
Brass Audirons, Shovels and Tongs, Shovel
and Tong Stands, and Fenders, Tea Trays and Wait-
ers, in sets and separately, Bellmetal and Porce-
lain Preserving Kettles, Iron, Tin, Tea Kettles and
Sauce Pans, Long and Short Handle Frying Pans,
and Stove Pans, Ovens and Lids, Pots, Skillets,
Griddles and extra Lids, Iron Furnaces, Potatoes
Steamers, Mortars and Pestles, Wardle Irons, Sad
Irons, Skimmers, Ladles and Forks, Coffee Mills,
Sifters, Bread Toasters, &c., Shovels, Hatchets,
Forks, Hay and Straw Knives, Axes, Hatchets,
Hammers, Saws and Planes, Cut, wrought and
Horse Shoe Nails, Cut Tacks, pat. Brads and Spar-
ables, Rim, Cottage, Mortise and Stock Locks,
Closet, Cupboard, Till, Chest, Trunk and Pad
Locks, Mortise Stop, Knob and Thumb Latches,
and Belts, Table, Butt, Parliment, H. L. & Strap
Hinges, Palmer's pat. Blind Hinges, to fasten
back and to Farnham's pat. Window Blind fas-
teners, Common and Axle Sash Pulleys and sash
Cord, New England Co. Wood Screws all sizes,
Sofa Springs, Bed Screws, Castors and Furniture
Knobs, Curtain Bands and Pins, Iron and Brass
Haj and Coat Hooks, Single and Double Barrel
Guns and Apparatus, Brushes, Combs, Buttons,
Needles and Pins, Shoe Thread, Cotton, Worsted,
Diaper, Boot and Straining Web, Curry Combs,
Horse Cards, Wool Cards, Ox, Trace Halters,
Backband and Dog Chains, Brass, Copper and Iron
Wire, Round, Flat and Square Iron, Hoop and
Band Iron, Nail Rods, Burdens' pat. Horse Shoes,
Carriage Springs, Wagon Boxes, American and
English Blister, Cast and Sheer Steel, &c., &c.
All of which, he will sell as low as can be had
at any regular Hardware House in the city.
Washington, Nov. 4, 1845.

COMBS, BRUSHES, AND PERFUMERY.—
We have just returned from the North with an
extensive assortment of the above-named articles,
and are now ready to supply our customers with
the best and freshest Perfumery, consisting of Po-
matums, Ox Marrow, and Oils for beautifying and
promoting the growth of the hair; Cold Cream,
Lip Salve, Bay Rum, Parian Cologne, Lubin's Ex-
tract for the handkerchief, with a great variety of
English and French Hair Brushes.
Also, Shell, Buffalo, and Horn dressing, tuck, and
side Combs; Nail and Tooth Brushes; a very fine
article of Purses, all of which we are determined
to sell cheaper than the cheapest.
S. PARKER'S Perfumery and
Fancy Store, bet. 9th and 10th streets,
Pennsylvania avenue. Nov 4-1f

**GEORGE W. CLARKE, BUILDER, AND
GENERAL FURNISHING UNDERTAKER**
corner of Virginia avenue L and 9th street, near the
Navy Yard Gate—or at his residence, on the west
side of 11th street, near the eastern Branch bridge.
Thankful for the liberal patronage with which
he has already been favored, he respectfully solicits
a continuance of the same.

Always on hand, ready for use, Pine, Cherry,
Walnut, Poplar, and Mahogany, which he manu-
factures into Coffins at the shortest notice, and on
the most reasonable terms.

Hearse and carriages furnished at the shortest
notice. All orders thankfully received and promp-
tly attended to at all hours, if left at the above place.

N. B.—Carpenters work in all its branches done
on the most reasonable terms, and at the shortest
notice.

Old Furniture repaired and varnished, and made
look equal to new. Dec 18-6m

LOOK THIS WAY EVERY BODY:

Painting done by the art of Hocus Pocus.

THOMAS HILTON, House, Sign, and Orna-
mental Painter. Old Chairs repainted, and
Furniture varnished. He will be ready for the
prompt execution of work at all times, on the most
reasonable terms. Shop on 12th street, between
G and H streets. March 12-1f

CUMBERLAND COAL. from the celebrated
mines of the Maryland Mining Com-
pany, and of a quality better than any heretofore
offered in this market, can be had by the car load, or
smaller quantity, at
J. PURDY'S
Coal and Lumber Yard, Centre-market.
Feb 6-1f

MEDICAL NOTICE.

DR. PHILANDER GOULD offers his pro-
fessional services to the citizens of Washington.
Office on Pennsylvania avenue, opposite Messrs.
Brown's Hotel. April 11-3m

New Flour Store.

THE subscriber has taken the warehouse on the
north side of water street, opposite Messrs.
Read & Son, and intends keeping a supply of all
the various grades of flour. He will endeavor to
make it the interest of dealers in the article to give
him a call, as he is determined to sell at small pro-
fits.
Feb 7-1f Water Street, Georgetown.

F. HOWARD'S IMPROVED CHEMICAL

Chloride Soap.

THIS SOAP has fully stood the test of experi-
ence, and is deservedly more celebrated than
any other in use, for rendering the skin smooth and
soft, removing chaps, pimples and blemishes; for
the preservation of the teeth and gums, and the
cure of offensive breath; for cleansing and healing
sores and wounds; for preserving and curing cuta-
neous diseases, particularly in infants; for bleach-
ing muslins and handkerchiefs, and for the removal
of grease, paint, tar, &c., from clothing. It is also
much esteemed as a Shaving Soap. Prepared only
by
THOMAS P. MORGAN, Chemist,
(Successor to F. Howard.)
Washington, D. C.

For sale by the Druggists of the District.
May 13-1m

A Card.

THE undersigned, considering himself duly
qualified, offers his services to the citizens
of Washington for the drawing of plans and spe-
cifications of dwelling or other houses, and also as
measurer of builders' work. Charges moderate.
He may be consulted between the hours of 9 and
12 o'clock, A. M., at Mr. Purdy's Office, Lumber
Yard, 7th street, Market-House square.
Feb 27-1f JOHN C. HARKNESS.

C. H. MUNCK,

Gun, Locksmith, and Bell-Hanger, D. Between 6th
and 7th Streets.

POETRY.

Its words
Are few, but deep and solemn, and they break
Fresh from the fount of feeling.—Percival.

For the Columbian Fountain.

SONG OF THE REFORMED.

BY JAMES C. GOOD, JR.

TUNE—"Oh no I'll never mention him."
Written for Junior Association No. 5, United
Brothers of Temperance.

Farewell! old Alcohol, my foe—
Again, I'll not serve thee
As I have done in time before,
For now, I from thee flee.
I oft have spent for thee my wealth,
And lost my friends so true;
Besides, I much impaired my health—
Because I clung to you.

Farewell! old Alcohol, to thee;
Thou foe of all mankind—
A friend to thee I'll no more be—
'Till one in thee I find.
Farewell! old Alcohol, my foe,
We've parted, ne'er to meet—
And in my bosom doth not glow
A desire thee to greet.

Farewell! old Alcohol, thou King
Of men, like beasts, grown blind;
And reckless of eternal things—
No joy, but in thee, find.
Again, to thee, farewell! I say,
I'm bound, by FRIENDSHIP true;
I own none, but LOVE's blessed sway—
TEMPERANCE—instead of you.

ALEXANDRIA, June 12, 1846.

CHOICE READING.

"If you enlighten the people, do not forget that this
is but half the work. Let them be made virtuous and
religious, or you leave them more exposed to danger
than they were before."

From the Gardiner Cold Water Fountain.

RUM AND RELIGION.

Ho, Mister! You with a bottle of rum in
one hand, and the Bible in the other! What
do you know about religion? Do you
think that drinking rum and professing to
be a Christian will work? Let me tell
you, it will not! So you may as well aban-
don praying and throw aside all your pro-
fessions, until you leave off the habits of
drunkenness. Are you fool enough to
suppose that the Almighty will counte-
nance your hypocrisy? If so, you are re-
markably verdant. There are too many of
these rum-Christians in the community.—
When free from drink, they are very numb
and lukewarm. Their Harps are hung up
on the willows. But, as soon as they have
got a swig or two of "the good creature of
God," they are all alive in singing, praying,
and praising the Almighty; and if in meet-
ing, are so filled with zeal, as to monopo-
lize the whole time to themselves, hardly
giving their more sober brethren an oppor-
tunity to ejaculate—"Amen!" Yet, for
all this, "they are the enemies of the cross
of Christ; whose end is destruction, whose
God is their belly, and whose glory is their
shame. Clouds, they are, without water,
carried about of RUM; trees, whose fruit
withereth, without fruit, twice dead, pluck-
ed up by the roots." Is it possible that there
are such sham-religionists among us, in these
days of light and knowledge? Yes! it is
even possible. A few instances will be in
point. In a town, eastward, not long since,
a religious society held a protracted meet-
ing of a fortnight's duration. One of these
liquor-drinking church members, whose fam-
ily resided only three-quarters of a mile
off, attended. His wife was left at home
to take care of the cattle, lug the wood,
and do the out-door chores. For the whole
fortnight he did not go home, but stuck like
wax to the meeting. Every day, for the
whole time, he was seen to go to a Rum-
mery, and drink his brandy. Of course, he
was all alive, and had much to do and say,
in furtherance of the cause of Christianity.
At length, the meeting broke up, and he ar-
rived home in the evening. His wife told
him that one of the sheep had a lamb, and
urged him to go to the barn and take care
of them. But no! "He was not going to
the barn!"—and went off to bed. His
wife went and took care of the sheep, as
well as she could; but, fearing that the lamb
would perish, brought it in and put it down
the cellar. In the morning she tried to get
this Christian up to build the fire and go
to the barn. "No!"—he gruffly replied—
"he was not a going to get up." The wife
turned out, and after building the fire, went
to the barn. The old sheep was dead. She

came in and went down the cellar to see
the lamb, that was dead, too. "Being in
the cellar, it had got warm, and in hopping
about it had hopped into the soap tub and
drowned! This was bad luck to the wo-
man, and after all her toil and trouble, with
no assistance from her HOG of a husband,
who, though only three-quarters of a mile
off, had not gone near his home for that
long time; but every day, visited the rum-
seller, for brandy, and then, under its influ-
ence, attended the meeting, and was all of a
torch upon the subject of religion. O, what
a Christian!

Another instance is—of one of these pa-
tent hypocrites; an out and out drunkard,
"bearing his lantern in the poop," as Fal-
staff said, "in the nose of him." This man
has been known to carry a bottle of rum
with him to church, on the Sabbath, and to
guzzle its contents at the intermission. He
is apparently one of the most sanctimoni-
ous looking personages in christendom.—
He is reconciled to the will of Heaven in
all things. But when the rum is out of
him, no one would suppose that he had ma-
ny thoughts about religion, or any thing
serious.

Another instance is—of a man who had
become somewhat indifferent to such mat-
ters; but getting well filled with strong
drink, went to a meeting very penitent, for
his past misconduct. He arose and said,
"that he was a man of sorrow, and ac-
quainted with grief, and wished the prayers
of all good people." The minister knew
him, and prayed "that he might be made
acquainted with the cause of his sorrow,
and his grief." The prayer sorely offended
the penitent supplicant, and he was soon
non est inventus, as the lawyers have it.—
These instances will suffice, though many
others might be mentioned—showing up
these mock rum-Christians, to no great ad-
vantage. Rum-drinkers, rum-sellers, wise-
bibbers, and cider-drinkers are still per-
mitted to remain in some churches, a stain
and disgrace. They should be dealt with,
and without speedy and thorough reforma-
tion, expelled. Religious drinkers and re-
ligious rum-sellers are hundreds of degrees
worse than those who follow these abomi-
nable practices, but make no pretensions
of the kind. Men of such conduct, who
are not members of churches, should never
be suffered to desecrate a church. Mem-
bers of churches who drink, or traffic in
anything whatever, that can intoxicate, act
against the great object for which churches
were established; for which the Saviour
suffered; for which the gospel is preached,
and all the means of